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The Honorable Charles L. Brieant  
United States District Judge  
United States Courthouse  
300 Quarropas Avenue, Room 275  
White Plains, New York 10601

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*Application Granted  
to Order  
Dec 12, 2007  
Charles L. Brieant  
USDS*

Re: *Rosario v. Potter*, 07 Civ. 5891 (CLB)

Dear Judge Brieant:

I write respectfully to request a one-month extension of time – until January 17, 2008 – for the Government to answer the complaint in the above-referenced case. The Government has not yet received the agency file in this Title VII employment discrimination case, and we therefore request the additional time in order to obtain and review the file so that we may respond to the allegations in the complaint.

This is the Government's first request for an extension of time to respond to the complaint. Government counsel has attempted to contact plaintiff, who is representing herself *pro se*, to obtain her consent to this request. Plaintiff has not returned messages left at the phone number listed on the docket sheet.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Respectfully,

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